VETERANS AFFAIRS -"TODAY IN VA HISTORY" PROJECT



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Summary	As part of the VA History Initiative, the student intern researches and creates a standing annual calendar of historical events relative to the American Veterans, the VA, and the VA's predecessor organizations
Country	United States

Project Description

Student intern researches and creates a standing annual calendar of historical events relative to the American Veterans, the VA, and the VA's predecessor organizations. Using remote/virtual platforms, the student interacts with VA History Office team members and other SME's, as well as accessing a variety of online archival and research sources to prepare the product. Ideally, the completed product includes a short paragraph on the historic event with a referenced source(s) and images. The student intern will execute the project with minimal daily supervision, accessing internal and external documents, online and traditional sources, archival materials, etc. to create the calendar. Final product will be used as a resource to VA History Office, National VA History Center, and administration Historians, as well as potentially publishable (digitally or in print format) as a standalone product for wider internal use. Based on the student intern skills and ambition, the daily entries may include audio and video components. The product may also be used for various internal and external VA social media communications platforms.

Required Skills or Interests

Skill(s)
Editing and proofreading
Research
Writing

Additional Information

This project would be ideal for a History and/or Communications student with excellent historical research and writing skills.

Language Requirements

None